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In re Patent Application of

MOTOKI KATO ET AL.

Appln. No. 09/668,438

Filed: September 22, 2000

For: TRANSPORT STREAM RECORDING )  
APPARATUS AND METHOD, )  
TRANSPORT STREAM )  
REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND )  
METHOD, AND PROGRAM )  
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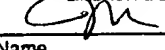
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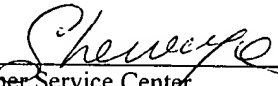
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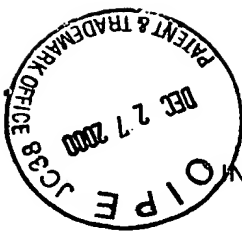
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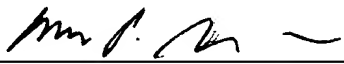
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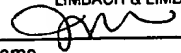
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